

WEEK'S WORLD NEWS

Mrs. John A. Speyer of Chicago was sick and tired of married life...

The budget paring knife whetted by Calvin Coolidge is still sharp...

American newspaper correspondents questioned Ambassador Davies in London...

A. L. Adams, sun-baked prospector walked into the sheriff's office at Weaverville, Calif.

A nation-wide educational campaign in the public schools will feature the Hoover program for law enforcement...

On Saturday as a general rule money rolls from San Francisco to Pittsburg, Calif.

As a golfer, George A. Neil, Chicago attorney, was a dub. But he has lots of money.

A nationwide organization of laboratories and research stations is being perfected jointly by the Standard Oil Company and the General Motors Corporation...

J. P. Morgan and company have announced formation of a \$500,000,000 food company...

BOYS WORRELL FOR CRACKERS

BILL THE BARBER SAYS YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A MAGICIAN TO TURN YOUR CAR INTO A TELEGRAPH POLE

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PROBE WOMAN'S DEATH HERE

GRADUATE SENIORS TONIGHT

Commencement Exercises Will Be Held at High School

Calendar Filled with Events For Students of Torrance

Flushed and happy, thirty-seven students will receive their diplomas from Torrance High School tonight...

Youthful white dresses will be worn by the girl graduates, who will carry bouquets of red rosebuds...

The young men will be resplendent in dark coats and white trousers with black stripes...

Mr. F. R. Feitshans, former member of the Board of Education, will award diplomas at the conclusion of an interesting program...

There will be no speaker of the evening, but short talks will be made by Lew Dorn Hall and Orville Hudson...

The senior class presented an amusing program in assembly that brought forth many laughs from the audience...

"You're Dear To Us" was sung by the class to the tune of "You're Mean To Me" as the opening number on the program...

Beneath him, Joe Townsend presided as judge, and as John Clark brought forth the prisoners (members of the graduating class) he charged them with disorderly conduct...

The class banner was then presented to the school, and this together with the first payments on the new grand piano recently purchased for the school...

Registration began at 9 o'clock, followed by the visitation of classes until noon. At noon the alumni gathered in the school cafeteria for luncheon...

Review Successful Year at Women's Club Annual Luncheon

Luncheon of Progressive Organization in Torrance Culminates Season of Worthy Accomplishment; Plans for Next Season Outlined by Chairman

Torrance Women's club held their annual luncheon on Wednesday. The tables were decorated with baskets of flowers...

Place cards marked the places of the officers of the club, who were scattered among the guests at the different tables and acted as hostesses to the groups near them...

After the business session, Mrs. H. H. Dolley introduced Gertrude Wright Boyle, who gave the scene from Carmen where she says goodbye to Don Jose...

Mrs. Harry McCormick of the Glendale Tuesday Afternoon Club spoke a few words of greeting and spoke on federation, reading for closing remarks a few beautiful words of Carrie Jacobs Bond...

Mrs. Putnam spoke of the lovely atmosphere of the district federation headquarters and the conveniences are a great store house of information...

Among the business transacted after the luncheon was the vote to raise the price of the monthly luncheons from thirty-five cents to fifty cents...

Another change that was announced by Mrs. Sammons was the plan of the executive board, who were the ground at all times of changing the dining room into living quarters and hiring some one to be there all the time...

Mrs. Dolley told of her plan to have a Chautauqua style lecture course in the club next year. The season tickets will sell for \$3.75 and will admit two persons to each lecture...

Mrs. E. A. Loeck, chairman of child welfare, spoke of the work of the Mothers' Educational Center under the direction of Dr. Maude Wilde...

Mrs. Sammons introduced the members of the board and the chairman of the different committees: American Homes, Mrs. O. W. Hudson, California History and Landmarks, Mrs. Guy Mowry, Child Welfare, Mrs. E. A. Loeck...

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Joe Townsend, student body president, gave a short talk welcoming the alumni back to the school for the day...

CABRILLO BUY IS ASKED

Owners Ask City to Purchase P. E. Right of Way South of Carson

24 SIGN THE DOCUMENT Problem Takes on New Angle as Request Filed with City

The Cabrillo avenue Pacific Electric right of way problem took on a new angle this week when 24 owners of property on the street between Carson street and Plaza...

The city council recently instructed City Engineer Frank Leonard to offer the Pacific Electric \$10,000 for the right of way between Border avenue and Carson street...

The petition requesting that the city buy the right of way south of Carson street will be considered by the council next Tuesday night...

Owners of property on Cabrillo north of Carson have agreed that if the city should purchase the right of way they would pay all paving costs...

Flower Show to Set New Record

C. of C. Furnishes Money to Help Finance Event; Special Prizes

A special effort is being made by the Legion Flower Show committee to broaden the field of the Torrance show this year...

Several commercial growers of note have signified their intention of exhibiting at this show, realizing that the great interest in flowers and gardens here indicates a fertile field in which to dispose of their bulbs, plants, etc.

Special interest is being displayed by all dahlia growers in the \$35.00 cash prize which the American Legion has offered for the best entry of ten blooms of an unnamed seedling dahlia...

The American Gladiolus society has recognized the extent and value of the Torrance show by offering one silver medal, one bronze medal, and one ribbon trophy...

Real money looks good to most people, especially school children, so cash prizes have been provided for them. A \$2.00 first and \$1.00 second prize for each of five classes especially for school pupils has been provided by the Torrance Chamber of Commerce...

Observations

Senor Niese of the Argentine Speaks in Torrance—The Beauty-Loving Latin—The Ancient Flower of Spain Still Blooms—We Don't Know It All

By W. HAROLD KINGSLEY

THAN the cultured Latin there is no more charming individual. Rotarians in Torrance had an opportunity last week to discover this truth...

We North Americans, particularly those of us who boast Anglo-Saxon ancestry, are apt to consider ourselves as about the only important people in the world...

If one would judge from the address of Senor Niese the Argentinian possesses all of the Latin's love of beauty along with the sound business sense of our own Yankees...

Senor NIESE awakened a number of men in Torrance to the majesties of his country and of the gem city that is Buenos Aires...

The bank clearings in Argentina aggregate four billion dollars a month, yet the city of Buenos Aires is one of the most beautiful in the world...

THE love of a Latin for beauty is reflected in the personalities of educated Latins. As they demand and get loveliness of architecture, as they insist upon the majesty of distance in their cities...

WHAT American city, aside from Washington, can boast of such loveliness as prevails in Buenos Aires? Indeed we have even allowed the original plan for Washington to lapse until now the government must spend millions to reclaim a lost loveliness which was tumbled by L'Enfant but allowed to languish behind the rush and tumble of business...

I CANNOT watch the charm of an educated South American without thinking that the splendor which was Spain's before the sinking of the great Armada still lives in these sister Republics of ours...

IT IS well. More than ever before—due to the Hoover trip—North Americans are becoming conscious of the wonders of the great continent to the south...

I WAS talking with a Torrance man the other day about local loyalty. He declared that many people in Torrance, with surplus funds to invest, send their money elsewhere, getting returns of four and five per cent per annum...

I agree with him. In California particularly has the record of building and loan associations been splendid. Not one has failed in the State. This is a record which ought to interest anyone with a little extra money to invest...

Murray court, new management. Adm. refinished, cozy. Ph. 596-R. ***** JULY 4TH EDITION TO BE ISSUED FRIDAY ***** Due to the Fourth of July falling on Thursday, next week's issues of the Torrance Herald and Lomita News will be distributed Friday. Advertising copy will close at 5 p. m. Wednesday as usual. *****

TESTS FOR POISON MADE

Wife of Former Torrance Druggist Dies at Hospital Sunday

ILL WHEN BROT HERE Seek Evidence of Mercury in Body of Mrs. Roy Cowman

Dr. Frank W. Webb, autopsy surgeon of the Los Angeles county coroner's department is investigating the cause of the death of Mrs. Raymond E. Cowman, 22, of Santa Ana, wife of a former Torrance pharmacist, who passed away at the famed Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital Sunday...

Dr. Webb has made no official report on the case yet, but is conducting laboratory tests to ascertain the cause of death.

Mr. Cowman, who is well known in Torrance and was at one time employed by the Beacon Drug company, left this city about two years ago. He and Mrs. Cowman were residing in Santa Ana when she was taken ill. According to reports, the physician in attendance upon Mrs. Cowman had given up hope of saving her life and Mr. Cowman last week brought her to the hospital here in an ambulance.

Bichloride of mercury is a poison which acts slowly but steadily upon the human body. If Mrs. Cowman was a victim of this deadly poison it is pointed out that she was poisoned before being moved to Torrance, as she was dangerously ill when brought here.

Mr. Cowman is overwhelmed with grief at the death of his wife.

Woman Is Hurt as Autoes Crash Here

One woman sustained a broken arm and minor injuries Sunday morning, when the car in which she was riding with Mr. Robert W. Birchfield of Los Angeles was struck by a truck.

Mr. Birchfield stated that he was driving on Western avenue, just south of Moneta, when his car was struck by a truck weaving from one side of the road to the other. He asserted that the truck was on the left side of the road when the crash occurred.

Another car, the property of H. S. Scanlon of Venice, was demolished on June 17, when struck broadside at the intersection of Hawthorne and Redondo boulevards by a car driven by E. T. Mann of Inglewood.

Mr. Scanlon, in his statement to the police, said that he was passing through the intersection at 7:25 in the morning when the car driven by Mann crashed into him. He asserted that the car driven by Mann was traveling at a high rate of speed and failed to make the boulevard stop.

Mann's car was badly wrecked also.